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5-7-20	Flanged Adapter 10106-30043-01	2/10	Fatigue Flange Leakage between adapter and valve seat	Leakage into cuff with possible leakage into PIA.	1) Design The Flanged Adapter provides the structure to attach and seal the valve seat and the one way valve to the bag. The Flanged Adapter may be molded polyurethane or machined Delrin. The molded adapters are heat stressed to the bag, the machined adapters are adhesive bonded.	2) Test a) Acceptance: The Flanged Adapter is heat tested in the DUCO during PIA test 2 just and at PIA (at P origin). b) Certification: The DUCO was certified by analysis based on review of drawing 10106-30043-01. c) Turnaround: Used DUCO's are disposed of. Unused DUCO's are leak tested at PIA at 2 psig, during which a defective Flanged Adapter would be discovered. d) Inspection: 1) Manufacturing: The Flanged Adapter undergoes 100% visual inspection. 2) Turnaround: Unused DUCO's undergo visual inspection at PIA. e) Failure History: Leakage between the molded Flanged Adapters and valve seats have occurred during PIA testing, Ref. LIA # 11C-N-008. Corrective action includes: 1) More stringent receiving inspection on molded Flanged Adapters. 2) Replacement of defective molded Flanged Adapters by vendor. 3) Review of defective DUCO's. A sealer was added between the valve seat and adapter per 008. f) Operational Use: 1) Effect of Leakage: Isolation of Cuff (shroud) may be necessary. 2) Crew Action: Determine extent of problem; continue EVA or return to shelter. 3) Crew Briefing: Briefing includes discussion of possible failure, effect on PIA, possible need to abort. 4) Mission Contingency: None 5) In-Flight Checklist: None